



## College-Wide Pre-Class Week Schedule Fall 2016 Semester

Date	From	Until	Activity	Place
Thu Aug 18	9:30 am	4:00 pm	New faculty orientation – HR facilitated MercerOnline Blackboard presentation*	AD130
Fri Aug 19	10:00 am	11:00 am	New Student Success Session (SOAR)	Kerney Hall
Mon Aug 22	8:30 am	7:00 pm	In-person student registration	Both campuses
	9:00 am	Noon	Academic division/department/cluster activities	TBA
	10:00 am	11:00	SOAR Webinar	
	Noon	1:00 pm	MercerOnline Faculty Chat	CM126B
	Noon	1:00 pm	Trac Dat training for faculty	LA214
	1:00 pm	2:00 pm	Trac Dat training for faculty	LA214
	1:00 pm	4:00 pm	MercerOnline Bb Grade Center Training - MO 103 MercerOnline Best Practices: How to use Blackboard Concurrent sessions	AD234 AD131
	1:00 pm	7:30 pm	Faculty advisors available as scheduled	Div/Fac offices
	2:00 pm	3:00 pm	SOAR student orientation	CM110
- Class cancellations finalized; Registration opens for waitlist students. -				
Tue Aug 23	8:30 am	7:00 pm	In-person student registration	Both campuses
	Noon	2:00 pm	Faculty Association Picnic	
	1:00 pm	4:00 pm	MercerOnline Zoom Training – MO 105	AD131
			Student Planning Training	AD233
			Blackboard Retention Center	AD234
			Concurrent Sessions	
		1:30 pm	7:30 pm	Faculty advisors available as scheduled
	6:00 pm	7:00 pm	SOAR student orientation	CM109
	6:00 pm	7:00 pm	SOAR parent orientation	
Wed Aug 24	8:30 am	7:00 pm	In-person registration	Both campuses
	8:00 am	4:45 pm	Engaging Learners in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Conference <a href="https://goo.gl/ciOfhs">https://goo.gl/ciOfhs</a>	Conference Center
	10:00 am	11:00 am	SOAR student orientation	CM110
	Noon	1:15 pm	International Student Orientation	
	Noon	1:00 pm	Trac Dat demo for staff	LA214
	1:00 pm	2:00 pm	Trac Dat demo for staff	LA214
	6:00 pm	7:00 pm	Blackboard Information Session for Students*	CM110
[All day]		Notification and advisement of students from cancelled sections; finalization of Faculty/TA schedules and adjunct assignments; academic division/department/cluster activities as needed.		
Thu Aug 25	8:30 am	7:00 pm	In-person registration	Both campuses
	9:30 am	Noon	College Assembly	Kelsey Theatre
	Noon	1:00 pm	All-Staff Outdoor Barbecue	WWC Quad
	Noon	1:00 pm	Blackboard Information Session for Students Webinar *	TBA
	1:15 pm	4:00 pm	Academic Affairs Convocation	CM110
	4:15 pm	5:45 pm	Adjunct Faculty Federation Meeting and dinner	SC211
	6:00 pm	6:45 pm	Adjunct Convocation	Student Center
	7:00 pm	7:30 pm	Adjunct meetings with coordinators	
Fri Aug 26	8:30 am	5:00 pm	In-person registration	Both campuses
	9:30 am	11:30 am	Assessment Planning & Training	CM109
	11:00 pm	1:00 pm	Veteran Students Welcome Back Convocation	Conference Center
	Noon	1:00 pm	SOAR transfer student orientation	SC104
	Noon	1:00pm	Student Planning Training	TBA
Sat Aug 27	10:00 am	11:00 am	Blackboard Information Session for Students*	CM110
<b>Sat Aug 27</b>			<b>Fall 2016 classes begin</b>	